

Claims

What is claimed is:

1. A process for producing a synthetic fiber fabric having translucent printing (dyeing) patterns thereon,
5 comprising a printing step prior to an etching step, wherein the printing step comprises printing a paste for dyeing and/or printing comprising a transparent printing developer onto a surface of the fabric.

- 10 2. A process according to claim 1, wherein said transparent printing developer is quaternary ammonium salt.

- 15 3. A process according to claim 1, wherein an etching agent used in the etching step is sodium hydroxide, sodium hydrogen carbonate or sodium carbonate.

- 20 4. A synthetic fiber fabric having translucent printing patterns thereon.

5. A synthetic fiber fabric according to claim 4, which is produced from the process of Claim 1.